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Biometrics Test Strategy Briefing Summary



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DoD BMO Mission and Vision Statements:

Mission: The Biometrics Management Office (BMO) – as the DoD proponent for biometrics – will lead, consolidate, and coordinate the development, adoption and institutionalization of biometric technologies in CINCs/Services/Agencies, to enhance Joint Service interoperability and warfighter operational effectiveness.

Vision: By 2012, biometrics will be the universally empowering technology that ensures the right person with the right privileges has access at the right time to support warfighting dominance.

Biometrics Fusion Center (BFC) T&E

Life Cycle:

- Product selection
- Product Assessment (PA)
- Controlled Environment Testing (CET)
- Field Testing (FT)
- At the completion of each PA, CET and FT, the results are posted on the BFC Biometrics Product List

BFC Biometrics Product List:

- Objective
 - Establish list of BFC approved biometric products for DoD consumption
- Initial Requirements
 - Provide system integrators with information about how biometric products were approved:
 - Phases of testing that have been completed by the BFC
 - Environments in which the products were tested

- Level of security that the products provide in a specified environment
- Standards by which the biometric products comply

- **Review:**

- Testing results (performance and security rankings)
- Biometric product availability

Controlled Environment Testing Scenarios:

- Physical Access
 - Indoor or Outdoor
 - Networked or Stand Alone
 - Verification or Identification
- Logical Access
 - Indoor or Outdoor
 - Networked or Stand Alone
 - Verification or Identification